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pplicants:

Application No.:

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Group:

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Examiner:

METHODS OF IDENTIFYING INHIBITORS OF BINDING BETWEEN PROTEINS AND

Cheyne D. Ly

For:

Confirmation No.: 1636

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in reply to the Office Action Made Final dated June 8, 2004 for two (2) months from September 8, 2004 to November 8, 2004 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

In lieu of filing a Notice of Appeal, Applicants' Attorney is filing a Continuation Application concurrently herewith.

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	Small Entity	Small Entity
1 month -	\$ 55	\$ 110
2 months -	\$ 215	<u>X</u> \$ 430
3 months -	\$ 490	\$ 980
4 months -	\$ 765	\$1,530
5 months -	\$1,040	\$2,080

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Respectfully submitted,

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